

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 12, line 9, with the following rewritten paragraph:

Turing back to FIG. 5, the exemplary housing 500 optionally includes an infrared (IR) sensor. In this exemplary embodiment, the IR sensor 528 is located on the housing 500 adjacent to the display 516, but may be located at other locations on the housing 500 as one skilled in the art will recognize. In this exemplary embodiment, the IR sensor 528 may sense proximity to other objects such as the user's body. In particular the IR sensor may sense how close the device 100 is to the users face for example. When the IR sensor 528 senses that the housing 500 is adjacent to an object, (i.e. the user's face) the device 100 may reduce the volume of the speaker to an appropriate level. In one embodiment, the method for sensing the context comprises adjusting a level of a user interface, such as a speaker of the device, to a first level in response to a first contact pattern and a first operation mode, and adjusting the speaker to a second level in response to a second contact pattern and the first operation mode.